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### FOOTBALL

#### BANQUET

NEXT TUESDAY.

To Celebrate Our First South Atlantic Championship.

In recognition of the magnificent work of the football team this season, a football banquet is to be given by the students of the University to the men on the squad, Tuesday, December 1, in Carroll Institute Hall. It is planned to seat three hundred and fifty men at this function.

Tickets have been placed in the hands of a representative in each department and may also be obtained from the Treasurer of the University and in The Hatchet Office. The sale has surpassed the wildest expectations of the committee, and it is estimated that there will be standing room only when next Tuesday comes around.

It is planned to make the affair thoroughly informal, and no one need be frightened away because of the lack of an immaculate shirt bosom and its accessories. In order that the students may not be forced to go through the agony of eating two dinners in one evening, the affair will start promptly at 7:30 P. M. The food served will be decidedly substantial, and a calm, contented after-dinner feeling is guaranteed to all who attend.

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### MINSTREL SHOW.

A first meeting of the students interested in the Minstrel Show has been called by the Association of Class Presidents for Thursday, December 1, in University Hall. The hour of the meeting will be announced on the bulletin boards of the University.

At this meeting it is hoped that a permanent organization will be effected. A manager and a director will be elected, and work actively begun upon next Spring's show.

It is earnestly urged that all students interested in this movement make it a point to attend this meeting. The show last year was a success from every standpoint, but it is desired that the performance this season shall excel it. This end can only be attained by the cooperation of the entire student body.

It is possible that from the show this year there may spring a permanent dramatic organization similar to those in other Universities, whose purpose shall be to produce an annual musical show. It is therefore requested that those attending this preliminary meeting come prepared to express their views upon the formation of such a society.

### QUESTION.

Why is it that Kenner's beak is always pointed towards University Heights? There's a reason. Ask the little brunette.

### TIE WITH

#### BUCKNELL

IN FINAL GAME.

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Before a crowd as good as any that ever graced Georgetown field in the dim days of the past, George Washington wound up its football season this afternoon in a blaze of glory by holding the powerful Bucknell team to a tie, 5-5.

By this virtual victory George Washington shows, not merely that she has the best team in her football history, but that in addition her team far surpasses anything produced this season by her rivals in this section.

At times Bucknell put up a better article of ball than did George Washington, but more frequently it was George Washington who played rings around Bucknell. From solid gloom at the beginning of the game, when Bucknell made its only score, the great crowd rose to wildest frenzy as time after time the Hatchetites would respond to Byrd's call for smashing gains. And when finally this selfsame Byrd, with his famous right end run, completely fooled his opponents and planted the pigskin squarely between the goal posts, heart failure

was imminent among George Washington's rooters. We almost won the game, but Ellis, who otherwise played a star game, made a slight miscalculation and failed to kick goal.

Outside of the game, the chief delight to a George Washington supporter was the size of the crowd, which filled the bleachers and packed the side lines. Here was tangible evidence of the fact that George Washington's athletic supremacy in the District is at last realized. There were competing games in the city, but if these were well attended, a great many more people must have seen football today than ever before.

A complete account of the game with the details of the plays will appear in next week's Hatchet. An early issue will contain a review of the season and individual pictures of the team, the manager and the coach.

And now that the season is over, don't forget that there is an opportunity to show your appreciation of the team's work next Tuesday at the football banquet. Purchase your ticket at once.

### CLASSICAL CLUB.

The 70th regular meeting of the University Classical Club was held in the Woman's Building on Tuesday evening, November 17, at 8:30 o'clock. This meeting was in the nature of a reunion and was attended by between forty and fifty of the old and new members of the club. The founder of the club, Professor Carroll, had written a letter to each of the 128 members, calling attention to the reunion, and many of those who

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were absent responded with letters, which were read at the meeting. This custom of the Classical Club, which has been observed for the last three years, enables its officers to follow up the students who are now occupying positions of importance all over the country. After the roll-call of the entire membership had been completed the following officers and committees were appointed for the present session:

**Officers:** President, Professor Mitchell Carroll; Vice-President, Professor Charles S. Smith; Secretary, Catherine A. McAvoy; Treasurer, Tench T. Marye.

**Committees:** Entertainment—Ruth G. Cochran, Margaret Newton, Helen S. Nicholson, Mrs. Richard M. Young. Books—Dr. Mitchell Carroll, Marion E. Craig, Clara R. Saunders, David R. Cavell. Periodicals—Dr. Charles S. Smith, Mae T. Cook, Rena P. Davis, Hester E. Piles. News from the Classical Field—Karl T. Jacobsen, Y. O. Millington, Esther Foster, Ruth Wilson.

The guests of the evening were Dr. Rosalie Slaughter Morton, of New York, formerly of Washington, D. C., who gave an interesting account of Temple Ruins in Ceylon, and Dr. Edgar L. Hewett, Director of the School of American Archaeology of the Archaeological Institute of America, who drew an interesting parallel between the archaeological remains in the southwestern portion of the United States and Mexico, with those of ancient Greece. After the adjournment of the regular meeting those present were favored by some vocal selections from Miss Bethune, and there followed an informal social hour.

The following is the active membership of the club for this session: Professors Carroll and Charles S. Smith, Mrs. Richard M. Young, Misses Drummond, McAvoy, Adams, Cochran, Cooke, Craig, Saunders, Davis, Farrington, Foster, Newton, Richards, Wilson, Nicholson, Piles, and Messrs. Hendry, Schoenfeld, Jacobson, Covell, Stout, Millington, Gates, Van Vleck, Marye and Singleton.

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**TO SOCIETIES AND FRATERNITIES, WHOLESALE PRICES****AN APOLOGY.**

Through an unfortunate combination of bad penmanship, bad composition, and bad proofreading, Mr. Eaton, President of the Y. M. C. A. Club, of the University, was made to appear in a somewhat peculiar position in a recent issue of The Hatchet.

We printed what purported to be a brief extract from his speech delivered before the members of the Y. M. C. A. In this report he was made to refer to the officers of the organization as "my men." A closer examination of Mr. Eaton's manuscript shows that the word should have been "key" instead of "my."

We wish to assure our readers that we had no intention of imputing to Mr. Eaton the ownership of the officers of the association. We regret that Mr. Eaton was thus made to appear rather egotistical, but we are sure that no one who knows him (and most of the students of the University do know him) would accuse him of that fault.

**SOPHOMORE DANCE.**

The Sophomores will give a dance on the Friday following the Thanksgiving holidays. On account of the small numbers of the class it was decided to hold the dance in the Arts and Crafts Building on Eye Street. The committees in charge are going to do everything in their power to make it a pleasant and delightful affair, and with a little co-operation on the part of the rest of the class they will succeed. All the members of the other classes are invited and it is hoped they will turn out in large numbers.

If you are not a Sophomore, see your class president for an invitation. If you are a Sophomore, whether political science, architecture, engineering, or college, stand by your class. Do not claim to be a college man and a Sophomore unless you are willing to meet the obligations of one. If you have not already done so, see Howell, or Dublin, College, or Howard, Engineering.

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Mr. Marsden, Athletic Director of the Freshman Class, when seen to-day by a Hatchet reporter, stated that the outlook for the track team was very encouraging and that a number of promising men had already reported to him. There have been a number of obstacles to overcome, he said, among them being the location of up-to-date quarters and a suitable track, but these matters have finally been settled by a very unique plan devised by Mr. Marsden, which will save the Class treasury considerable money. He states that hereafter the members of the team will report to him and don their suits at the quarters, which will be located in the rear of the coal bin in the cellar of the college, will run around the block three times and at the end of that time if the respiration has failed to reach the skidoo mark, Frankie will treat those members to a dose of spiritus of frumenti. If the weather happens to be bad on the training days the athletes will circumnavigate the coal bin a few times.

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'09—A. M. Daniels.  
*Law.*  
'09.  
'10—F. A. Crafts.  
'11—B. L. G. T. Bean.  
'11—LL. B., J. R. Curl.

## Medical.

- '09—W. F. McLaughlin.  
'10.  
'11.  
'12—Afternoon: C. A. Fisher.  
'12—Forenoon: F. W. Milburn.

## Pharmacy.

- '09—Ray T. Bailey.  
'10—Douglas Tschiffley.  
'11—C. W. Henderson.

## Veterinary.

- '11—F. A. Hugins.

## Architecture.

- W. A. Knowles.

## Graduate Studies.

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Kappa Alpha, 1931 K St.  
Theta Delta Chi, 18th and K.  
Phi Sigma Kappa, 2002 G St.  
Delta Tau Delta, 1700 15th St.

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Phi Delta Phi (Legal), 12 Iowa Circle.  
Psi Omega (Dental), 716 11th St.

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Alpha Kappa Kappa (Medical), 1167 19th St.  
Alpha Beta Phi, McLean Building.  
Kappa Sigma Pi, 1515 O St.  
Pi Beta Phi, Woman's Building.  
Chi Omega, Woman's Building.  
Sigma Kappa, McLean Building.

It is understood that Delta Phi and Chi Sigma Eta have disbanded.

## SENIOR DICTIONARY.

Exams.—Physiological action same as Cascarets.

Flunk.—That process which causes a student to take a four-year course.

Freshman.—One with the look of an owl and the ability of an ass.

Lecture.—A period of repose and slumber for some.

Quiz.—An instrument of torture used by members of the faculty upon students.

Senior.—One who hopes to become a pharmacist, provided his pony don't balk.

Look Here.—The person who took the 5c. pipette, please return the same immediately, because the school charges \$2.00 for it, and we pay for it with our deposit.

Robey.—I hear a hollow sound; who rapped on my head?

Why is a Freshman like the appendix? Because he has no function.

\$5.00 reward to a person who can correctly pronounce the systematic name of analgen—Orthoethyloxyananobenzoylamidochinoline.

Miss Strobel and Miss Richardson have not as yet decided to try for the track team this year.

Say, that fellow Plunkett is certainly bugs on microscopy.

Preparations will be made shortly for our semi-annual banquet, to be held in December.

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## NEWS OF THE LAW SCHOOL

### EDITOR'S PLAINTIVE PLEA.

**Finds It Hard Work to Get Subscriptions—Needham Society to Debate National Law School.**

Milton O. Hanes, familiarly known as "Daddy," after coming out of the Ohio political campaign successfully, has returned to school. It makes us feel mighty good to see "Daddie's old grin, and shake his good old hand. He strikes us like a good, salubrious Western breeze.

The Editor of the Law Department is very proud of the fact that he has secured two subscriptions to The Hatchet from students in the Law School. This is very encouraging, and at this rate The Hatchet, which is incorporated, remember, will probably be in the hands of a receiver, and will give some practicing graduated attorney an opportunity to show how much or how little he knows. While we are aware that lawyers can't afford to subscribe to papers for which they have to pay, although perfectly willing to subscribe to papers on account of which they may get pay; still, it seems that the students of the Law Department, which is one of the largest and most important Departments of the University, the men of which are very prominent in athletics, debating, etc., should give The Hatchet better support than they do. We are given lots of space, and there is nothing we will not print—that is, if it's printable. Every student of the Law Department should support The Hatchet in a substantial way, by subscribing and giving us the news. Get busy. (Fellows: I know you are saving up to go to the Thanksgiving game, but I simply had to write this. The Editor-in-Chief said that if I didn't get some subscriptions I would lose my job. Ed. L. Dept.)

In this connection we might say that Mr. Chief Justice Peelle has requested that a bill be forwarded to him for The Hatchet, which he has been receiving. Of course, we are too modest to think that this is not the Judge's honesty, but the quality of the paper which makes him desirous of paying therefor.

Prof. Vance to Student—"I believe you were absent at the last meeting of the class."

Student—"Prof. I was only a tiny bit late." Promote this fellow to the kindergarten.

Of course, we all agree that the course in Legal Tactics has any other course beaten by a mile; especially in view of the fact that no examination is to be given in the subject. Isn't it grand to hear Prof. Clephane talk about clients, about fees, and about practical things in general; nothing quite so sordid as remainders, Shelley's case, *de facto* and *de jure* corporations; and as a climax a nice talk about legal ethics and the following quotation:

This above all:

"To thine own self be true,  
And it must follow,  
As the night the day,  
Thou canst not then be  
False to any man."

End of act 1.

"About two weeks before Christmas you are handed the following lemon as a Christmas gift:

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The jury in the Law Court presided over by Judge Peter had been out for a long time—36 or more hours—having fed on bread, water and documents, sent in for certain pleadings in the case. Judge Peter replied as follows: "Tell that jury they ought to be able to come to a decision without documents, and if they can't come to a decision in any other way, let them do so in a way which it has been expressly held is invalid; that is, by flipping up a coin." This is practical experience all right.

Haskill Institute Indians are learning to play lacrosse, the game which was played by the Iroquois Indians nearly 200 years ago.

The Freshmen won the recent pushball contest against the Sophomores at Drake University.

### NEEDHAM DEBATING SOCIETY.

The regular weekly meeting of the Needham Debating Society was held in University Hall Friday night, November 20, 1908, President Jensen presiding.

It was definitely announced that the question for debate with the National University Law School had been decided upon. It is resolved that common carriers by rail and owners of mines should be liable in damages to their employees for all injuries occurring in the course of employment, to the same extent as they would be liable to persons not in their employ. The Needham Society has chosen the negative side of the question. The date for the debate has been fixed for January 9, 1909.

It was decided to postpone the trials for places on the Needham team to Friday evening, December 4, 1908, when speakers will be selected to represent the Society in the debate with the National University Law School team.

Election of officers of the Society for the ensuing term was held, and resulted in the following selections:

President, P. J. Altizer; Vice-President, Kenneth Taylor; Secretary, R. H. Blakesley; Treasurer, John G. Lerch; Critic, John T. Kennedy; Representative on Debating Council, John Jensen; Sergeant at Arms, Alfred Wallace, Jr.

The by-laws were amended so as to change the Executive Committee from an elective one to a committee composed of three members, consisting of the President and Vice-president of the Society, as ex-officio members and one member to be appointed by the President.

The elections were closely contested by other nominees, and one or two tie votes had to be taken over.

Attendance was large, one new member was added, and the meeting was a splendid one. The society has some excellent material for debating and expects to win out in all its contests this year.

On Tuesday, the 10th of November, the Morning Section of the Freshman Law class organized itself into a separate body from the evening section. The reason for the separation being the inability to take part in a common class meeting. It has been agreed that all functions of a common interest to both sections will be conducted under a joint management, consisting of a committee compos-

ed of members of both sections, with representation according to their size.

The officers elected in the morning section are as follows: President, Joseph R. Curl; Vice-President, James M. Berry; Secretary-Treasurer, H. F. Arthur Schoenfeld.

### THE UNIVERSITY CONGRESS.

The University Congress of George Washington University met in regular session Saturday night. When the retiring speaker, Mr. McClennon, of South Dakota, raised his gavel every representative was at his desk. After roll-call the business before the House was taken up in regular order; and after being disposed of the balance of the sitting was given over to the final reading of H. R. No. 11: Resolved; That this House take steps looking toward the enactment of an uniform divorce law. Representatives Moore, of Illinois, and Holcombe, of Mass., spoke in favor of the bill, while the enactment of the measure into law was strenuously opposed by Representatives Sullivan, of Tenn., and Fravel, of Virginia. Representatives Cohen, of Wisconsin; Oberlin, of Maryland, and several other members also expressed their views.

H. M. Sullivan, (Dem.) was elected Speaker to succeed Mr. McClennon, (Rep.) Speaker Sullivan will assume the chair next Saturday night, when a bill will be introduced providing for "revision of the tariff in such a way as not to interfere with protection to American industries." Mr. Cohen, of Wisconsin, and Mr. Holcombe, of Massachusetts, will uphold the affirmative, while the opposition will be supported by Mr. Sullivan, of Tennessee, and Mr. Oberlin, of Maryland. It was unanimously agreed that when the galleries are crowded ladies may take seats in the main hall of the University building. The Thanksgiving adjournment will end at 8 p.m., Nov. 28, 1908.

The most noticeable thing in inter-collegiate football this fall is the good showing of the smaller colleges throughout the country. However we may regard the new rules as to the lessening of danger to the players, they have certainly put a premium on skill and intelligence as opposed to brute strength.



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## ARCHITECTURAL CLUB MEETS

TO ADOPT CONSTITUTION.

Other Architectural News—Hooten on the Road to Recovery—Plans for Minstrel Show—New York from the Standpoint of an Architect.

On Monday evening, November 16, 1908, the G. W. U. Architectural Club held its second meeting this year. Mr. Knowles, the President, called the meeting to order.

There were present, besides Mr. Knowles, the following members: Mr. Geare, Vice-President; Mr. McAuley, Secretary; Mr. Doyle, Treasurer, and Messrs. Garland, Holmes, Buckingham, Norton and Bolton.

After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, held on Monday evening, Oct. 26, 1908, by Mr. McAuley, the Secretary, the constitution of last year was read and discussed, and was adopted, with a few alterations and amendments.

The names of several new men who had signified their desire to join the organization were proposed.

After this the club adjourned.

Mr. Hooten, who was with the football team when they defeated V. P. I. on Saturday, Nov. 14, 1908, has been very ill with blood poisoning, and from that date till Thursday, five days later, was confined in the G. W. U. Hospital. On Thursday he was allowed to return to his home with quite a start in the road to recovery. The sympathy of his classmates is extended, and they all wish him a speedy return to health. Mr. Hooten, as everyone knows, is one of the ablest men on the G. W. U. football team. The School of Architecture is proud of being represented on the football team by two such able men as Witten and Hooten.

If the students of architecture have to work until 2 and 3 o'clock at night to keep up in the course, just think how hard our two football heroes have to plug.

We all remember the minstrel show of last year, and what a success it was. The Division of architecture was represented in the show by twelve men, a greater number than any other college or division put into that field. The minstrel show for this year has already been organized, so as to get a good early start, and it is hoped that it will be a greater success, if possible, than it was last year.

A very able musical director has been selected in the person of Mr. Robert von Egdorf, who is a freshman in the Division of Architecture. He is a master of five instruments besides his voice, and has had experience in just the sort of work which is to be put his shoulders.

The whole Division of Architecture should support the minstrel show this year and keep up last year's record.

The meetings will start on the first Thursday of December, the third day of the month. Let's all go and join in the chorus.

In a recent number of the Literary Digest appeared an article of interest to the students of architecture. It is a criticism of New York from the standpoint of a prominent French architect, M. Augustin-Adolph Rey, of Paris.

In this article M. Rey takes the ground that the New York of the future should be a city of white towers; that the heights of the skyscrapers should be limited to 20 or 30 stories, and only a few, say, three or four to a city block, allowed to tower above this. In this way, he claims, the city would have a beautiful skyline instead of presenting the jagged outline it does today.

M. Rey prophesied that the time will come some day when it will be utterly impossible to accommodate the city traffic upon the present streets. The remedy he suggests is that all owners along the congested streets be required to give up the ground floor of their buildings for the construction of continuous arcades, thus materially increasing the sidewalk space.

The Elevated Railway quite disgusted M. Rey. He called it an "ugly mass of iron." He gives his

ideas in regard to the manner in which they should be constructed so as to make them pleasing to the eye. For this purpose he recommends that the columns and trestlework be constructed of light steel of the kind called "chrome" steel in France. In this way the weight of the elevated structure would be reduced about one-fifth. It would have a certain resemblance to a spider web and present a very pleasing appearance.

He also suggests that the trains themselves be made lighter.

For the City Hall, the Custom House and the Vanderbilt residence, M. Rey has nothing but praise. Mr. Carnegie's home, however, to him looks like a "brickquarry." The Globe surrounding the New York Life Insurance Company is entirely spoiled by the pedestal, and the Park Row Building displeases him because one side of it is a bare, blank wall.

He remarked upon the fact that few architects even try to make the buildings which they design in any way harmonize with the buildings already erected upon the property next to the place they wish to build upon. Nearly every architect tries to make his building outshine the adjacent buildings. He generally doesn't care to harmonize with the ideas of another architect. For example M. Ray pointed to the St. Paul Building and the Nat'l Park Bank nestling besides it. The effect of the perpendicular and the horizontal lines jarred upon him, and he said it would have been so easy for the second building to have been built with some sort of reference to the style of the first.

M. Rey made the same comment upon the unfortunate juxtaposition of the Singer and the City Investing Buildings.

When the news of the victory of G. W. U. over V. P. I. was brought around to the Architectural school on Saturday night, pandemonium broke loose and the boys raised a little more rough house than usual, and even then didn't disturb anyone. (! ! ?)

Mr. Greenburg was unable to appear at the club meeting on Monday evening, Nov. 16, because he attended a Seventh street dance.

Mr. Knowles was asked to state his age the other day. His characteristic reply was: "Well, I don't know. Must have been sometime A. D., because I don't remember ever having met Caesar."

It's queer the resemblance between Beaux-Art and booze-artist.

Mr. Godoy, the embryo poet, whose wonderful verses have astounded the intellectual world, should be more careful of his love letters. Some one like Garland, the great football player, might pick them up. Mr. Godoy is requested to present himself at the Hatchet Office and claim his lost letter.

Mr. Greenburg does not work as hard this year as he did last year: he's in the Government now.

Who threw that pile of bricks from the fourth floor down to the second Saturday night, Nov. 14?

Say, fellows, don't scatter peanut shells all over the floor. You know it's hard on the janitor.

Blackley has taken unto himself a new hat of the latest style, buff of color, very soft and ancient looking, as a consolation for the loss he sustained a week or so ago.

The idea of Greenburg wearing a green tie!

Mr. Keats, the Treasurer (collecting agent) of the Freshman class '08-'09, was caught in the Architectural school the other day, trying to extort Hard Cash from the first year students. Hard work, wasn't it Keats? Like squeezing blood from a turnip. You were a few moments too late, the collector for The Hatchet had just finished a hold-up when you came in. But come again, on the next payday, and let these ancient walls once more reverberate with your far-famed oratory in so laudable (?) a cause. Come again.

At the annual meeting of the Michigan Athletic Association it was shown that total receipts for the last fiscal year were \$33,894. Of this amount football brought in \$25,561. Baseball lost \$800 and track athletics \$2,000.

The University of Chicago has adopted a "cut" system whereby each department sets the limit of allowed absences and decides upon the penalty for exceeding this limit.

Buildings to cost about a million and a half dollars will be under construction at Princeton during the year. They will include the Physical Laboratory, the Laboratory of Biology and Geology, two new houses of the Cap and Gown and the Colonial Clubs and houses for members of the Faculty.



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THURSDAY, NOV. 26, 1908.

The football banquet next Tuesday deserves the hearty support of every student. The team this year is unquestionably the best we have ever had. As a means of developing University spirit it has been a remarkable factor. These facts are recognized by every student. Every student has benefited thereby.

It is only just, therefore, that the students should show their appreciation to the team in some tangible way. The banquet will give an opportunity for the manifestation of this appreciation.

The meeting next Thursday in the interest of the Minstrel Show should be well attended. It is very much to the interest of the University that the Minstrel Show should be perpetuated. Means for making the show a permanent institution will be discussed at this meeting.

If we are to have baseball this year it is high time that the Athletic Council elected a baseball manager. This is the season when schedules are made up, and if we are slow George Washington is apt to be left behind.

If we are not to have baseball, the Athletic Council should tell us so. It should not affect the sale of season tickets. We all realize the financial condition of athletics. But the student body

pays the bills and the students are entitled to know the truth.

### NOTICE.

December 1 is the last day on which subscriptions to The Hatchet may be paid at the reduced rate of \$1.35. After that date the rate will be \$1.50.

### WANTED.

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### MANDOLIN CLUB.

The Hatchet has been asked for the names of those interested in the organization of a G. W. U. Mandolin Club. Those wishing to join such a club are requested to drop their names in a Hatchet Box.

### TRACK TEAM.

Active work for the track season was begun last Saturday when a few track enthusiasts participated in the Fifth Regiment Meet in Baltimore. For a beginning the results were highly gratifying.

Clagett won second in the quarter mile, and Sterrett, as usual, flew away with first in the pole vault. Leper won the hundred yard dash with ease, and Curtis made an excellent showing in the high jump, the handicap, however, being too much for him.

In view of the earliness of the meet and the fact that our men have just begun to train, these conquests are highly gratifying to the George Washington management.

Immediately after the close of the football season a meeting of the track team will be scheduled, at which all men in the University interested are invited to attend.

### SENIOR ELECTION.

The Senior Class of 1909 held its first regular meeting on Thursday, Nov. 19th. The following officers were elected: President, Mr. Winter; Vice-President, Miss Mildred Johnston; Treasurer, Mr. Millington; Secretary, Miss Charlotte Farrington; Class Editor, Miss Besselievre.

Arrangements are being made for a very successful class dance somewhere about Christmas time.

"Well, well," remarked the absent-minded professor, as he stood knee-deep in the bath tub, "what in the world did I get in here for, anyhow?"

## PHARMACY ISSUES CHALLENGE

### TO RELAY RACE.

Promises to Defeat Other Departments at Indoor Meet—Plans for Smoker Under Way—Personals.

Football is now over and the students must now turn their attention to Xmas examinations and commence to bone.

At a meeting of the Athletic Committees of each class on Monday, the 16th, it was decided to place in the field a track team. Mr. Marsh, class 1911, was elected manager, and will make arrangements to enter a team in all meets this year.

A challenge has been issued to the other departments for a relay race at the George Washington Indoor Meet to be held in January.

In this department there is sufficient material to build up a good team. Besides an unlimited number of new men to pick from, Tewksbury, Kennor and Roose, from the Pharmacy Relay team last year, are still in the college, and are expected to try for their places. Men will also be entered in individual contests. It is almost certain that Bailey will enter the high jump, as he easily clears the bar at 5 feet 3 inches, and with practice will do better.

It is time the students were getting busy with the mid-year smoker, as it will not do to wait until about a week before the holidays to commence making preparations. Each class should appoint a committee to act jointly with similar committees to make arrangements for this social function. This is the only entertainment which the faculty and the students attend during the year in a body, and will be the only chance for the men to become generally acquainted. The Junior and Freshmen classes are requested to have a class picture taken for the Cherry Tree. The Seniors are requested to have individual pictures of each member of their class by December 15th, in the hands of the Class Editor for the Cherry Tree.

For the past two years this class has had to contend with a condition which has been detrimental to its advancement, and has caused considerable trouble to the leaders. The prevalent idea is to "have it my way or not at all," or "if not my way I will not have anything to do with it." In every organization a majority rules and the rest of its members usually abide by the decision, but

such is not the case in this class. It has a few who, instead of trying to help the class along, try to pull it back. Some of these have been known to vote for various projects and immediately after the meeting start out to hinder instead of advancing the desires of the majority. It is evident, unless some radical changes are brought about and the class works together, instead of surpassing the preceding classes, and placing ourselves in a position where we may set an example for the attainments of future classes, we will be classed by the critics as the worst ever and make ourselves an example which will not be coveted by future classes, but condemned and laughed at. Class pride is the only think that can save us, and it is time for us to display a little of it and pull the class out of the hole.

### SENIORS.

Prof. Waggaman mentioned a Tree of Heaven. If Heaven is a tree, this class will surely climb it.

Bailey is continually fighting with his microscope, and usually gets the best of it while in school. We hardly think it is this instrument that makes Bailey's nose red when he comes to lectures on Thursday mornings.

According to Prof. Waggaman a cinch means placing a girdle around a horse and pulling it tight. What is it when the girdle is put around a girl and held in place by a clasp? Oh, mercy! It must be a heavenly cinch.

Mr. W. S. Jones has been appointed Assistant Editor until Reese recovers from injuries.

The Senior Class extends sympathy to the Freshman Class in their misfortune to have one of their classmates critically ill with typhoid fever. Mr. Plunkett is at the George Washington Hospital, and from present indications he will recover.

On Monday evening last Mr. M. C. Thompson, a member of this class, was married to Miss Eva Mumford at the home of the bride, 211 Camp Ave., Norfolk, Va. After a wedding supper, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson left Norfolk for an extended trip through the North, after which they will return to this city.

Mr. Thompson is one the two registered men of this class, he having passed the Board successfully last January. He has always been prominent in all the various functions of the department. As a member of the class of '08, he was a member of his class

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teams, and through him it is largely due the successes of that class, athletically and socially. During the time that he has been a student in this college he has supported all the projects of the University, being one of the most ardent workers in raising the money contributed by his class last year to the Athletic Council. The class congratulates Mr. Thompson, and extend the best wishes for a happy future.

Mr. Tewksbury, leader of the '09 quartette, is at present confined to his home with a slight attack of rheumatism. We are very sorry to have him absent, as his songs are missed. We hope that he will soon recover, and in a few days will again be back at school.

### FOR THE SQUAD.

On Tuesday, December 1, a banquet will be given by the students of the University to the football squad. The price per plate will be \$1.50, providing there are at least two hundred present. This is an exceptional opportunity for this department to show its appreciation for the glorious work done by the team this year for the University we all love. This is a chance for you to show your college spirit, and you will be afforded the opportunity of meeting practically all of the students in the University, as well as the team. It is to be an informal affair, and it will be unnecessary to change your clothes. An elaborate repast, consisting of five courses, will be served. Tickets may be obtained from a member of your own class, who has been appointed to act as an assistant by Reese, who represents this department on the committee.

Robey, Va.—I am too proud to be a farmer.

Nolan, D. C.—The silent wonder.

Hughes, Georgetown.—Used

good judgment by going to G. W. U.

Miss Richardson.—The anti-car-mine beauty.

Tewksbury, D. C.—I would like to take with the ladies.

Bailey, D. C.—Reese's companion on the water wagon.

12:30 p. m.—And we departed for the land of F. C. T. and Bud-weiser.

Prof.—Mr. —, give the solubility of lead carb.

Mr. —.—It is soluble in water, and insoluble in aqua.

E. V. Payne, Va.—The only scholar in the class.

Crosson, Country.—I do love botany.

Thompson, D. C.—Dan Cupid, regent of love rhymes.

D. B. Payne, Va.—He likes to hear himself talk.

T. Q. Jones, Mo.—I don't understand this; I am from Missouri.

W. S. Jones, Va.—Everything handsome but him.

Salb, D. C.—He delites in using big words.

Senay, D. C.—A lion among ladies.

Reese, Md.—Football is better than study.

Get on to the style and color of Tewksbury's new suit. He also has a pair of pusilanimous new tan shoes.

All of Bailey's lady friends have the first name of Helen. Six different ones.

Every member in the Senior class, with one exception, was called a liar on Friday night. Miss Richardson was the exception.

### FRESHMEN.

The Freshman Class is arranging to give its first dance of the season on Wednesday evening, Dec. 30, at Carroll Institute Hall, and from present indications it is going to surpass all expectations.

Mr. Mangum, Chairman of the Social Committee, has been planning with the aid of his two assistants (The Hall Room Boys) Messrs. Kenner and Toltavull, a very extensive as well as elaborate program for that evening. One of the best string orchestras in the city has been secured, and the boys of 1911 will forget books for a few hours at least and stretch their legs in the attempt to glide some fair Arabella to the tune of many a familiar melody. All boarding house or lunch room members of this Class are urged to be present. We could also use a few table finishers, as Mr. Mangum has promised a very enticing feed on that occasion, and we would like to show our appreciation of his kindness and do everything that comes our way. In concluding, boys, I would say to "Remember Prof. Waggaman's words." Help your fellowman, and bring the prettiest girl you can get, and if you can bring some other fellow's girl, and she happens to be stunning, not because her hair is curly or not because her eyes are blue, but because some other fellow might not be as lucky as you. Bring her along.

The Board of Student Representatives of Columbia has drawn up a "Model Constitution" for the Freshmen class. This constitution will be presented to each entering class.

The removal of Johns Hopkins University to its new site has begun, and already one and a quarter acres have been devoted to the botanical gardens alone.

George B. McClellan, Mayor of New York, has been elected Stafford Little lecturer on public affairs at Princeton, to succeed the late Grover Cleveland.

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# TRACK TEAM.

I have the extreme pleasure of stating that the track team has come to life. They have come to the realization that they are a track team and must really do something, if only to make a bluff; but, nevertheless, we are proud of our athletes and it is with the heart of a true patriot that your humble, obedient and much abused Editor makes the following announcement:

The track team has been fully organized and Frank Marsden has been selected to captain the same. He has been quite fortunate in surrounding himself with such men as Frank Feller, who was captain of Bethel Military Academy's team last year, and a man who should strengthen the team considerably; also, Gus Kenner, who ran for Business High and a quarter miler of great note; Eddie Morris, an old North Carolina man is another of whom we expect to hear from later; and last, but not least, is Lew Mangum, formerly of Central High, also a quarter, whose past record is too well known to stop and explain at the present time. With these men to form a nucleus, Freshmen Pharmacy are practically assured of a team which will eclipse all records of previous classes.

We have a number of other material to draw from and which looks very promising, as Jack Schommer, Blondy Hupperman, Billy Toltavull, Tom Jenkins, and others who Captain Marsden is working with daily. The question of securing a coach has been causing quite a little discussion, but this matter has finally been settled by signing an old Virginia man, who comes to us well recommended, and who will probably arrive on the scene the first of next week, but, until his arrival, Captain Marsden is handling matters and at the present time is arranging a meet between Pharmacy, Law, Medicine, and other schools.

In concluding I must say that we are going to have an aggregation that is going to be hard to beat, and with Marsden at the helm, a man who is, thoroughly seasoned veteran in these matters, we look forward to a most successful year.

If any one has any Salvation Army or Exposition medals we would be glad to get hold of the same, as there is a member of this class who should be decorated for his brilliancy, and while out to lunch last Monday, Hupperman took occasion to remind some of his classmates of the very high marks he thinks that he has been making. We know he is a PERFECTO. But we think—SOMEBODY LIED.

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BEGINNERS' CLASSES

Materia Medica. Prof. Waggoner says that this world is full of rough edges; but, then, there is consolation in the fact that we can get an hour's extra sleep on Monday mornings.

We are very glad to hear that Henderson has collected enough money to get an overcoat. And now the ride over to Anacostia will not be so cold Sunday evenings as heretofore.

Take notice that our great big Athlete Frankie Marsden had Charlie Boy and Gussie out on Seventh street last Monday afternoon looking the fairies over. Marsden, after waiting and watching a little while, selected a couple of creamed creams for the youngsters, and of course, Gussie got a dark-eyed Susan. This same young lady, when interviewed by a Hatchet reporter that evening, said that August looked good to her, only she didn't like the kind of hose he wore. So the next time, Kenner, that you go out on another hunting expedition, you had better cover those broomsticks of yours with something that looks like hose, and not try and duplicate a couple of barber poles.

A series of class quizzes have been arranged under the supervision of Prof. Bradbury, and we started in for the first time last week. We

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covered quite a good bit of ground, both in Chemistry and Pharmacy, and the boys who were present realize the fact that the quiz is of great value to them in their regular class work, and by the way they have been advocating it I think Prof. Bradbury will have the whole class to look out for at his next quiz.

Subscriptions are still being received for The Hatchet, but we haven't got that class record from the Seniors as yet. We only need a few more to break the record, so it's up to some of you fellows who are going around putting up a poor mouth to get next and raise a dollar and a half.

The Editor of this class wishes to state that he has been greatly annoyed by some few people who are continually kicking about something, and to this few he would like it known that these columns are not being printed for the benefit of Christopher Columbus's grandmother or Abe Lincoln's father, but for the welfare of the Freshmen class of the N. C. P., and those who cannot bear

to read some of our articles will have to find consolation elsewhere.

### NOTICE.

It is with much regret and the greatest of sympathy that I have to inform my classmates of the serious illness of one of our class, Mr. Luckett, who at the present time lies very ill at the G. W. University Hospital with typhoid fever. We extend to him our united sympathies and hope for his speedy recovery, and that he may soon be back among us.

All hazing at Amherst has been abolished, even though the Sophomores say hazing is not for their enjoyment, but for the Freshmen's good. The flag rush will be allowed if the students conduct themselves like gentlemen.

The flag rush at Rush Medical College provided material for the upperclass clinics. Several of the students were badly injured.

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